

REPORT TO: ARTS & HERITAGE COMMITTEE 19 JUNE 2000

REPORT ON: GRANTS TO NATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AND OTHER OUTSIDE BODIES AND INDIVIDUALS

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF ARTS & HERITAGE

REPORT NO: 364/2000

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To seek approval to award grants to a range of Arts & Heritage organisations and individuals.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

2.1 That the Committee authorise the payment of £950 for grants detailed in the appendices.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The recommended grant awards totaling £950 can be met from the grants budget within the Arts & Heritage Department's 2000/01 revenue budget.

4.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 The grants awarded reflect a positive contribution to the Local Agenda 21 theme "access to facilities, service, goods and people is not achieved at the expense of the environment and are accessible to all" and "local needs are met locally".

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1 Particular consideration is given to applications which prioritise or maximise community involvement, generating interaction within specific groups, communities and organisations.

6.0 MAIN TEXT

6.1 The categories of recommendations to be put forward before the committee are:

- Individuals attending short courses of high artistic content assisting the applicants towards high national attainment levels.
- Previous recipients of grants.

7.0 CONSULTATION

7.1 The Chief Executive, Director of Support Services, Director of Finance, have been consulted on this report and are in agreement with its contents.

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1 None.

Director _____

Date _____

Applicant	Background information	Request	Recommend	Purpose of Grant
Dundee Pupil, Morgan Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£120	£50	Dundee Guitar Festival 2000 Composition Course to be held 2 - 6 August at Victoria Chambers, Dundee Rep, Marryat/Caird Hall
Dundee Pupil, Grove Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£120	£50	Dundee Guitar Festival 2000 Composition Course to be held 2 - 6 August at Victoria Chambers, Dundee Rep, Marryat/Caird Hall
Dundee Pupil, Grove Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£275	£50	National Youth Choir of Scotland Music Course to be held 6 - 13 July at Strathallan School, Perthshire.
Student, University of Dundee	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£425	£50	To tour Scotland and Ireland with National Youth Choir of Scotland from 6 - 13 July and 28 August - 3 September
Dundee Pupil, Harris Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£190	£50	To attend residential Jazz Course, to include tuition, rehearsal, concert, with National Youth Orchestra of Scotland from 3 - 7 July 2000
Dundee Pupil, Harris Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£440	£50	To attend Youth Theatre Summer Festival 2000 (Foundation Course) in Edinburgh from 17 - 29 July 2000

Dundee Pupil, St Johns High School	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£365	£50	To attend Drama Foundation Course with Scottish Youth Theatre from 10 - 22 July 2000
Dundee Pupil, Harris Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£1398	£50	To attend second year as a Junior Student at The Royal Scottish Academy of Music and Drama in Glasgow from 30 September 2000 - 23 June 2001
Dundee Pupil, Baldragon Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£120	£50	To attend Rock Guitar Course at Stage 2000 from 2 - 5 August 2000
Dundee Pupil, Harris Academy	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment	£120	£50	To attend Dundee Guitar Festival to be held 2 - 6 August at Victoria Chambers, Dundee Rep, Marryat/Caird Hall, Dundee
Dundee Pupil, Craigiebarns PS.	Assistance to attend training courses to enable improvement in arts skills towards high national attainment		£50	To attend dancing summer school and obtain United Kingdom Alliance Exam Qualifications

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Royal Scottish Country Dance Society	Royal Scottish Country Dance Society is a registered Scottish Charity for the purpose of promoting Scottish Country Dancing in the Dundee area. Their major aim is to support, train and encourage teachers and local musicians. They also organise a children's dancing competition and a non-competitive festival.	£250	£250	To run a series of six Monday night Scottish Country Dances from 25 June - 10 July. These are to be held in the Marryat Hall and are open to everyone. The total cost of the event will be £985.00.
The Council for Music in Hospitals	The Council for Music in Hospitals is a registered Charity for the purpose of making high quality live music more widely available to people who, because of illness, age or disability, are unable to attend a concert in the community.	£450	£150	To provide 9 concerts (3 per venue) at Tayside Stroke Support Group, Stroke Recovery Club and Roxburghe House. Total cost of project £1404.